

WEARE'S PITCHING WINS FOR ELLERY

Elks Defeated in a Snappy Game,
Which Went But Four Innings.

The Ellery Twist Drill with singles scored two runs enough to Weare in the box defeated the Elks on Thursday evening in an excellent game. The Elks out batted the Ellery but were unable to place them together, while the Ellery in the first inning on an error and two

thrown out trying to steal second. Reed struck out and Smart was safe on Rossman's fumble. Powers singled advancing Smart to third and Powers stole second. White singled and Smart and Powers scored. Barrett retiring the side by striking out. The Elks failed to score but one man reaching first. Pray fanned, Hanson singled and Bunker and Cragen struck out.
Score: Ellery, 2; Elks, 0.
In the second the Ellery's were retired in order, Horsey on a fly to Hanson, Driscoll was thrown out at first and Weare drew a pass but Bruce struck out.
There was nothing doing for the Elks. Paul was out on a grounder to Weare, Flanagan fanned and Rossman was thrown out by Powers.

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ATWOOD LANDS IN TRAP AND MAY LOSE WHOLE DAY

Gives Up His Plan to Fly to Boston

Breaks World's Record, But Accident Prevents His
Ending Trip

New York, Aug. 24—Atwood's flight down the Hudson before noon was full of picturesque incidents. He covered the 109 miles from Castleton, where he ascended at 7.36 a. m., to Nynack, where he made his final landing at 11.33 a. m., in an actual flying time of 2h. 37m. Starting from the top of a hill at Castleton he circled to a high altitude until he found his course over the river and then he began his journey south, heading direct for New York with an intention of stopping only at West Point.
From this altitude, under a cloudy sky and flanked on his right by the Catskill Mountains, Atwood could see wrapped in a blue mist the river for miles stretching in a crooked pathway before and behind him. Just one hour and three minutes brought him over Kingsion, opposite Rhinecliff which marked his having surpassed by 13 miles the previous world's long distance record of 1144 miles.

No Chance to Land

At that point merry-makers in a fleet of skiffs scurried over the water to cheer the record breaker. Further down Atwood dropped so near the water as to be able to shout to the passengers on a ferryboat. At that point he approached the Poughkeepsie bridge, and swooping still lower, he went under it at a height above water of only 10 feet.
Atwood's explanation of his failure to land at West Point, where the parade grounds were crowded with officers, cadets and citizens, was that he found the space allotted him to be hampered. After sailing low enough to look over the prospect, he rose, motioning to those below that he was not going to land. To the disappointment of the spectators, he sailed directly over the river and landed at Garrison, 50 miles from New York where no one was waiting to greet him. The first impression was that the aviator had met with an accident.

At 11:05 a. m., the engines of 'Atwood's biplane were set whirling and he again shot up into the air, purposing to make it his last dart for Sheepshead Bay and thus complete the trip. But he had not gone far when he discovered that metal on his engine had worn away and the mechanism was wobbling. Twenty-eight minutes after his last start, and only 5 miles out of New York, he decided to descend here.

In the meadow near here Atwood is working tonight on the broken engine of his aeroplane. Close as this is to the finish of his flight from St. Louis, the young Boston aviator tonight says he faces the most embarrassing predicament of his long journey.

His biplane is an awkward box, out of which only a south or southwest wind can help him, he says. It resists near a hay stack on the small sloping meadow 150 feet above the Hudson and about 2000 yards from the water. Almost behind him is the Rocky Hook mountain rising perpendicularly 800 feet, and to the south and east nearby apple trees make it a difficult place to take wing.

"It is the worst box I've been in since leaving St. Louis," Atwood said, "I could only climb out of here against a southerly or easterly breeze. He sat under cover of the biplane while it rained this evening and tried to talk, though he frankly admitted disappointment over his ill-luck.

"I shall work here all night," he continued, "fixing the engine. The trouble is a broken babbitt on the connecting rod. I have sent to a Nynack machine shop for a new casting and I'll be ready to fly just as soon as the wind blows right tomorrow."

Atwood announced tonight positively that he will not attempt to fly from New York to Boston after reaching the metropolis.
"I'm too tired," he said, "for a longer trip now."



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Biddeford, Aug. 24—Sept. 1 will be evacuation day in Biddeford. Today Mayor Albert O. Marcille, chairman of the new democratic police commission, sent letters to Chief of Police Charles B. Harmon and the 18 officers under him notifying them that the police board requested their

resignations, to take effect on that date.

It is expected that the officers will comply with the request. No meeting of the board has been called to elect a chief and other members of the force but it is expected it will meet either tomorrow or Saturday night.

Deputy Sheriff Thomas Stone will be elected chief, it is said, and it is probable that Fred S. Doyle will be elected captain.

PERSONALS

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THINKS IT IS HIS SON'S BODY

Name of Maker on Coat May Lead to
Identification

C. A. Danforth of Salem, Mass., is in this city today hoping to identify the body picked up in the river on Tuesday last as that of his son Arthur Danforth missing since the night of January 14. Mr. Danforth accompanied by his daughter and undertaker Ham visited the tomb twice today. The father believes that it is his boy. The name of the maker of the coat he wore was cut off and can be made out with a

strong magnifying glass. It is a Baltimore firm from which the dead man purchased the clothing and the father states that he has several times heard his son speak the name of the maker. The father thought possibly the marks of a surgical operation might be found which would leave no doubt as to who he was. The body was so decomposed that no marks could be found and nothing but the name on the coat will clear up the mystery.

TAFT STARTS VACATION ON GOLF LINKS

Prepares for Three Weeks of En-
joyment Before His
Western Journey

President Taft reached Beverly yesterday for the first day of his three weeks' vacation. He arrived in Boston yesterday morning, from Rochester, N. Y., where he had ad-

dressed the Grand Army veterans. Along the North Shore he motored in an hour and a quarter to the Corn-ing street home, Paramatta. With him were his secretary Charles D. Hilles and his military aide, Major Butt.

At Paramatta the President was greeted by his family and set off again in one of the big White House automobiles. Mrs. Taft, and Major Butt went with him to the Myopia Hunt club.

The President wishes to repeat last year's cruise along the north coast as far as Bar Harbor in the Mayflower, and will probably do so. Mr. Taft's daily program will fol-low as nearly as possible the follow-ing: Golf in the morning, work, mo-tor trip, dinner, newspaper, bed.

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under condition and showing signs of growing stale. He will be all right when I get through with him." More defensive work and stiffer wind developing work will be the feature of Burns' new training for the next ten days. New and old styles of defense are being brought forward by the veteran wrestler. The champion at first resented Burns' statements concerning his condition, but finally admitted his condition was not of the best, and, although his wind is improving, it is still in bad shape, while the defensive work thus far has been poor.

TRAFTON--KIMBALL

Charles W. Trafton son of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Trafton and Miss Bessie A. Kimball daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kimball were united in marriage on Wednesday afternoon by Rev. C. H. Emmons of the Universalist church. The ceremony took place at the rectory and the couple were unattended.

The affair was of a quiet nature and following the ceremony the couple left on an afternoon express for New York. On their return they will reside in a newly furnished home on Bennett street. Both are decidedly popular and have many friends who wish them all the joy of married life.

SHILLABER WILL PROBABLY
CONTINUE

He is, However, Anxious to be Relieved

Charles F. Shillaber's resignation from the board of public works went to the council last night, but the council voted unanimously to ask him to reconsider his resignation. Mr. Shillaber said after the meeting that he is grown to an age where he could look back and reflect, "I have earned a rest."

The bank is paying me to work on Market square," said Mr. Shillabeer "yet I am passing much of my time at city hall, and the night meetings draw me away from my home and my family." The other members of the board said today that Mr. Shillabeer will probably agree to complete his term in the board.

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DISCRIMINATION AGAINST OLD VETERANS

A rumor is current to the effect that the attention of the Grand Army of the United States in national encampment at Rochester, N. Y., this week, is to be called towards the growing tendency in some quarters in New Hampshire to ignore or discriminate against the veterans of the civil war, as their numbers grow less and their influence weakens in political circles, and it is possible that a national appeal may be made to the people of the state to remember the veterans who so freely offered their lives in the hour of their country's peril and who are now in many instances dependent upon the bounty of the country they so unselfishly served in their days of youth and vigor.

Four years ago the state legislature of New Hampshire enacted a law exempting from taxation the property of civil war veterans to the extent of \$1000 in cases where the entire property of the soldier was less than \$3000. This was intended to protect the veterans in humble circumstances who might have a little home of their own but who were dependent upon their pensions for their daily bread. When their homes were taxed they had no money to pay the tax except to take it from the pension allowance, which was barely sufficient to provide them with the necessities of life, and the state might force them to become paupers by taking their pension money for taxes.

The law was approved by all patriotic citizens who believed this small aid but little to give the old soldier in return for what he had given his state and nation. They did not believe it right to take from the veteran through taxation the little home which he had acquired in the days of his prime.

But in 1909 and again in 1911, attempts were made in the legislature to repeal this law and to make it possible for the tax collector to snatch the pension of the old soldier to lessen by a trifle the taxes of those who were better able to pay. Each time the effort was defeated by

the zealous work of those who still feel a debt of gratitude to the men of the Union army, but the spirit of those opposed to the soldier was manifest and the veterans could but feel a thrill of apprehension as they wondered what they might have to face in the future.

It is said that another specific instance will be taken from the city of Manchester in the recent action of the mayor and aldermen in increasing the salaries of officials at city hall. As is still fresh in the minds of the public, an order was passed for an increase in salaries, and when the citizens protested the mayor vetoed the order. Went back to the aldermen with the veto and a part of it was passed, notwithstanding the veto, and that part included an increase in the salary of every official at city hall save one. That one official was City Messenger J. R. Person, the one Grand Army man remaining on the list of city hall officials. He alone was discriminated against. The action caused considerable comment in Grand Army circles, not only in Manchester and outside, and if the report current on the street is true, this instance of Manchester's discrimination against the veteran will be among the cases laid before the national encampment at Rochester to substantiate the charge that a feeling of indifference toward the old soldier is growing in New Hampshire.

Massachusetts has recently passed a law giving the old soldier in state or municipal employ the rights of a civil service employee. He cannot be removed or reduced in rank without a fair hearing, and every opportunity is given him to maintain his rights.

It is expected that the action of the national encampment will take the form of a resolution addressed to the New Hampshire legislature asking protection for the veterans of the Civil War during the little time they may remain a part of the populace.

FOOTLIGHT FLASHES.

Alan Dale, the noted critic, is now a grandfather.

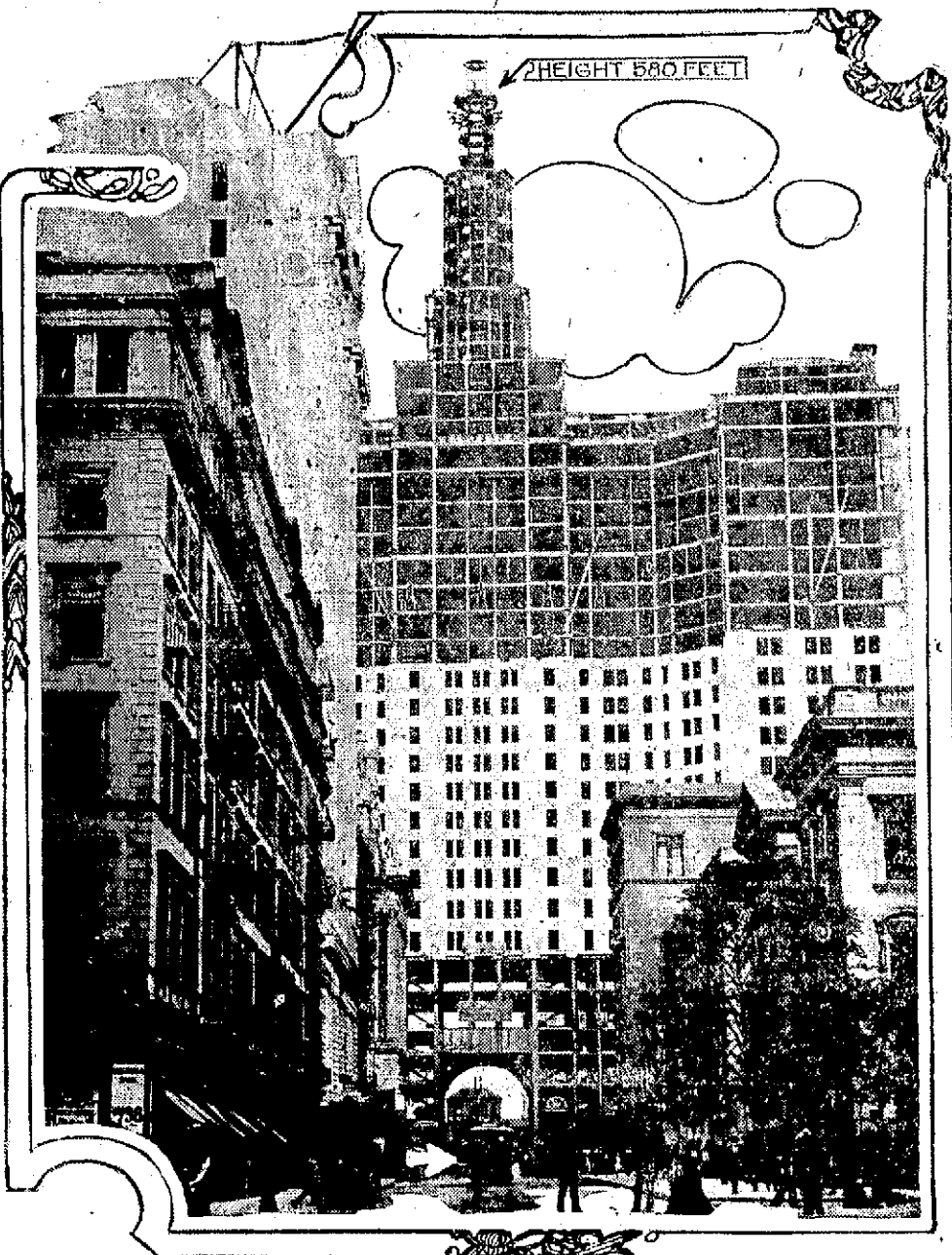
Zelda Sears will play "The Nest Egg" another season.

There is said to be much ill-feeling between the Lambs and the Friars, the two great clubs supported by theatrical people.

Jack Geraghty and Julia French Geraghty are receiving some very flattering offers from the vaudeville managers, it is said.

Bessie Clifford is to take the place

Street Car Line Will Run Directly Through Father Knickerbocker's \$12,000,000 Skyscraper



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New York's latest construction freak is found in its new municipal building, which will have a street car line running through it. The building extends over two blocks, and in order to not entirely close the thoroughfare between them an opening has been left which will permit the passing of street cars. The building will be 580 feet high, and there will be forty stories, including the tower. In the basement, thirty-five feet below the street, there will be a six track subway station. The building will house all of the city's departmental offices and will cost \$12,000,000 to build.

of Bessie McCoy in "The Echo," the musical comedy the scene of which is laid in the White Mountains.

There are more actors than jobs, according to the booking agents. It is added that the conditions in this respect are the worst in 30 years.

Joseph Brooks plans the production of a play with 60 speaking parts. It is a stage version of George Bronson Howard's novel "An Enemy to Society."

Variety hears that the illness of Charles Frohman is so serious that Henry Miller has been called to New York to take charge of preparing for the production of the plays over which the Frohman banner will float the coming season.

Julia Sanderson and Frank Moulan, who were in "The Arcadians" last season, are to be seen in a new light opera importation from Europe, "The Siren." So is Florence Morrison, the very large actress who came here twice with Frank Taylor.

NEW CASTLE

The past week has been the banner of the season and several events among the hotels and cottages are a merry summer whirl. The mecca of pleasure a palace by a blue domed sun flicked sea where seemingly the wine flows joyously that is the Hotel Wentworth for at this charming spot when the summer swirl is at its zenith is dazzling indeed.

The bathing hour at the beach is a most enjoyable one of the day and is well filled with modern mermaids in arched costumes, yo-ho, the jolly sailor girl is battling in the bounding deep as well as on terra firma. The vogue for the style that suggest the nautical being very much in evidence. To those who sit indolent ecstasy upon the shore the yachts and other marine crafts that ply through the blue waters add the restful touches to this panorama of pleasure.

Mr. Benjamin Butson who has been visiting his sister, has returned to his home in Dorchester.

Miss Pearl Winn of Portsmouth is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne D'Poole.

Miss Sophia Larkin of Portsmouth is the guest of Alfred O. Larkin and family.

Mrs. Morris Yeaton of Chelsea is at the hotel cottage.

Mrs. Margaret McDermott, who has been passing a two months so-

jour at the Martin cottage, has returned to her home in Springfield, Mass.

Mrs. Evelyn S. White has returned from a business trip to Boston.

All roads will lead to Pythian hall this evening, the occasion being the much looked forward to entertainment by Walbach Temple of Pythian Sisterhood. A most enjoyable diversion is assured all who attend.

Miss Kathleen Thomas of Lexington is the guest of Miss Alice A. Larkin.

Miss Hattie Balson and Miss Georgia Rankin of Dorchester are the guests of Mrs. Myra Martin.

Miss Isabelle Dean, who has been passing the heated term at the Sea Breeze, has returned to her home in

Springfield.

Miss Kathryn Sweeney of Boston is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Leander White at Fort Point.

Ruth, the youngest child of Mrs. Humphrey King, is seriously ill. Dr. Ladd is in attendance.

JAPAN TO SPEND \$200,000,000 ON NAVY

Expects by 1917 to Have it Equal to Any in the World

Naval expansion is coming to occupy a prominent place in the Japanese mind. The tremendous outlay on naval armament in Europe and America, in the face of voluminous discussion on the subject of arbitra-

tion, is tinging the Japanese mind with apprehension, says the New York Evening Post's special correspondence from Tokyo. There appears to be a decided conviction that some attempt must be made to bring Japan's fighting strength up to a standard reasonably proportionate to that of the United States. It has been decided in cabinet council to supplement the amount to be spent on naval armaments by at least \$12,500,000, for the special purpose of modernizing the older ships, and this, together with the sum to be expended on new ships, will bring the expenditure on additional fighting units up to nearly \$200,000,000 by the year 1917, when Japan expects to have a navy of a thoroughly modern type. During the present year, at least \$21,500,000 will be laid out on the navy.

In accordance with the enlarged program, orders for new ships have been given to an extent that proves greatly increased activity in naval circles. The new battleships Kawachi and Settsu are already nearing completion of equipment. In October of this year a new ship is to be laid down at the Yokosuka yards, one Hiei, a sister ship to that ordered recently from the Vickers in England, while at the Kawasaki and Nagasaki yards are under construction two powerful armored cruisers, the Itatana and Kiriokuma, in addition to three second class cruisers, the Chikuma, Hirato and Yahagi, now undergoing equipment in the same yards. Two new destroyers will also be finished this year, as well as a number of river gunboats. All these will be ready to take their places in the fighting line by the end of the present fiscal year.

The new naval program will include the building of at least seven new battleships of the latest type, four armored cruisers, and five second class cruisers, which, when added to Japan's present fighting strength, will bring her naval forces up to eleven battleships and cruisers by the year 1917.

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Byrne of the state prison was there as a witness, and from evidence produced by Solicitor Gupitill and Deputy Sheriff Shaw, the judge held that his parole had been broken.

SECOND-CLASS MAIL BY FAST FREIGHT

Arrangement have been perfected by the postoffice department whereby second-class matter consisting of magazines and periodicals, heretofore transported in railway mail cars, will be carried by fast freight, beginning September 1. The order was issued today.

With the idea of reducing the expense of transporting this, the greater part of second-class mail, Postmaster-General Hitchcock has taken advantage of an old statute permitting the department to send it by freight. The publishers are to be permitted to print on the wrapper of each copy or bundle of their publications, as a part of the address, instructions as to the date on which delivery is to be made. In accordance with this arrangement postmasters have been directed to carry out the instructions with respect to the delivery of fast freight mail.

Publishers have assured the postmaster-general that they generally will be satisfied with the arrangement, and assurances have also been received from the railways that the mail can be delivered promptly. The expense of transporting and delivery will be far less than at present.

PEOPLE'S OPINIONS

Editor of the Herald:—
Not only should "Mufflers" be put on motor boats in order to insure the summer visitors business so necessary to this section, but also to prevent people from leaving their places all along the river, and caution their friends to keep away from a country where, from early morning until late at night, the constant rattle of motor boats is to be heard, making it impossible to sleep or get the rest for which they came from the city.

Taft's Coming Tour

President Taft is going to give an excellent lesson to Americans in his coming six weeks tour in the advisability of seeing America first. He will visit every part of the United States to study the needs of the country, which is an excellent idea—as it permits the chief executive to get an idea of the needs of the people—first handed. The President is anxious to give the people what they want, and he is making a thorough study of the situation. He is exhibiting intense interest in the welfare of the country and no man in the President's chair has showed a more earnest desire to meet the needs of the country than he. It is well that our President should see the people and this western tour will be valuable for the masses.

BIRD'S EYE VIEWS

New Hampshire will not take any step backward in the United States Senate.

Atwood did not reach New York but he brought the world's record for distance flying to America.

Isn't Germany getting a little reckless in sending her warships into Buzzard's Bay to have target practice.

Lieut. Whittier's assassins and the murderer have been captured by the Boston police. Justice should be meted out to that gang of thugs without delay.

FRANK BATES IS RETURNED TO PRISON

Judge Robert G. Pike of Dover and of the superior court was in Exeter yesterday for the purpose of hearing the case of Frank Bates of North Abington, Mass., who, it was alleged, had broken his parole from state prison at Concord and was brought here this morning from Portsmouth by Jailer and Deputy Sheriff Wilbur B. Shaw of this city.

The state was represented by County Solicitor Ernest L. Gupitill, also of Portsmouth. Bates was arrested in North Abington by Deputy Sheriff Shaw and brought to Portsmouth. He was sentenced to a term of not less than a year and a day nor more than three years in state prison by the superior court in October, 1908, for breaking and entering in Derry and was recently let out on parole.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

Gleanings From Files of Portsmouth Chronicle

The roof of a new wooden addition in cases of fire is really a tin to the brass foundry at this side of the river, navy yard accidentally caught fire three guns are to be discharged. It near a chimney about 9 o'clock Saturday night. The fire was in the yard building, particularly in the present excited which was rung to call the people state of the public.

The roof of the yard together, was heard here and occasioned a general alarm and ringing of bells in the city also. The A correspondent wishes "Old Navy Yard people, however, sue South" to inform him how many times during the past week the bell ceased in extinguishing the flames down that way has not been rung at before the arrival of the two engines which went over on the 5 in the morning. The reasons will "double quick." But little damage be given when he ascertains the was done to the building. We learn number of times. He hints that that the understanding with the somebody may have slept late and officers of the yard is that when as been dreaming.

remarks were made by Miss Euphonia Shapleigh, an instructor in Spellman University at Atlanta, Ga. The association members are descendants of Alexander Shapleigh, who settled here in 1635.

Charles Shapleigh of Rochester, one of the oldest members, gave an interesting talk. During the past year the association lost two members, Augustus P. Shapleigh and Ellen J. Clark, both of Exeter.

R. R. CLERKS FROM PORTLAND MAY PLAY BALL GAME HERE

The clerks of the Boston and Maine at Boston and the Maine Central railroad at Portland want to play their annual ball game in this city next month. The matter of arranging for the grounds and other details has been placed in the hands of Station Agent F. P. Grant. The railroad men favor Portsmouth owing to this city being the most central point and the fact that they have always enjoyed

Men I Have Sketched

Homer Davenport

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For many years I have been studying the national Senate from the press gallery, beginning in 1896. Owing to the distance from the gallery to the main body of the chamber, one can scarcely make an accurate study of features in minute detail, but the shadows cast from the light overhead many times afford an opportunity to study the features in the shade which in some instances is more effective than the impressions one gets closer to them.

It might seem strange, but there was but one figure in the whole of the United States Senate, during the nineties that was reminiscent of the atmosphere of Lincoln and the heroic days of the nation. It was that of a venerable old gentleman who suggested now and then in his gestures and bearing an American eagle. He was very deliberate, yet very nervous. He looked the part of a United States Senator when you consider the dignity which should go with the position. I never made but one sketch of him, and that was on a memorable occasion when his face and figure seemed to show more sadness and yet more determination than I had ever seen in him. In the shadows of his face that day I could see much the same power noticeable in his distinguished brother, the General. The man was John Sherman, of Ohio. It was the day he walked into the Senate to view it for the last time, to look at the seat he had so long occupied with great distinction, but from which he had been trapped in as coldblooded a spirit as a mouse-trap was ever set. He had been baited out of it by a seat in the Cabinet in order that the vacancy left in the Senate could be used by the politicians. It was quickly filled by the election of Mark Hanna, and Sherman became Secretary of State. After a few weeks in the Cabinet he received the intimation that he was incapacitated for the duties of the place by reason of advanced years and failing memory. How true this was, and whether or not he was unequal to the task was never clear, but it seemed as an excuse, he was let out of the Cabinet.

Embarrassment and disappointment evidently weighed on the old statesman's mind, and soon brought about a sickness which carried him off. John Sherman literally died of a broken heart.



I don't know why, yet I find that the sketch herewith reproduced have always cherished more than any of the hosts of others in which I have pictured politicians. I was presented to him once by his nephew. At close range his features suggested the warrior of an earlier day. His remarks to me relative to caricature were kindly and at many times humorous, and showed the keenest knowledge and appreciation of the cartoonist's art. He discussed Sir John Tenniel, of Punch, Thomas Nast and Joseph Keppler, and told of how Lincoln laughed over the atrocious pictures made of him by Tenniel during the Civil War. He was particularly set on the fact that a caricature of cartoon, unless it bit, bitters, tones liver and stomach, promotes digestion, purifies the blood.

HOMER DAVENPORT.

NO SETTLEMENT AT CONFERENCE

Situation Grave on Harriman Lines

Employees Insist Federated Body Be Recognized

Strike of 25,000 Men May Be Final Action

Chicago, Aug. 24—A conference between Vice President Julius Kruttschnitt of the Union and Southern Pacific railroads and J. W. Kline, international president of the blacksmiths' union, was held here today without any steps being taken toward a settlement of differences involving 25,000 shopmen employed by the Harriman lines.

The representatives of the railroad interests and the labor organizations were in conference several hours. Both Vice President Kruttschnitt and President Kline declined to discuss what was done at the conference, but it is said that the entire subject of the railroad's refusal to recognize the federated labor organizations instead of individual unions was considered at length.

It is said that Vice President Kruttschnitt is following instructions of the directors of the lines in refusing to yield to the demands of the shopmen for recognition of the federated organization. Mr. Kruttschnitt said: "I met Mr. Kline today and we had a very pleasant talk. I am always glad to meet representatives of the workmen. I must decline to talk about what was done at the conference."

Shortly after the meeting Mr. Kruttschnitt left for the west, where he will spend two weeks investigating the labor situation. Shopworkers of the Illinois Central railroad assert grievances similar to those claimed by the Harriman men.

President Kline, in outlining the position of the shopmen, said: "June 6 last a committee of workers on the Harriman lines met in Salt Lake City to form a federation of the members of various mechanical crafts under railroad management. A number of other roads had already recognized similar federations, among them the Gould lines and the Hawley lines.

"The organization was formed for protection and in the interest of economy and convenience. For some reason the Harriman lines refused to recognize the federated body.

"That is all the men are asking. The question of wages is not involved. Since the federated body was formed the men active in the movement have been discriminated against and many laid off without just cause, I am informed.

"The present situation is grave. I cannot say what the outcome will be."

GERMAN SHIP'S GUNS BOOM IN BUZZARD'S BAY

New Bedford, Aug. 24—The German cruiser Bremen had torpedo practice in Buzzard's Bay this afternoon, firing eight shots at a target towed by the tug S. C. Hart, while moving over a course extending from the west end of Pasque Island nearly to Penikese. After finishing the practice work, the Bremen steamed up into the lower harbor, anchoring off Fort Rodman. On anchoring, the Bremen ran up the American flag, and fired a national salute of 21 guns, which was returned by the fort. Second Lieutenant Pendleton, stationed at Fort Rodman, put out to the cruiser, and paid his respects to Capt. Goette. During the call, the point as to whether the commandant of the fort or the commandant of the cruiser was the senior officer was settled. Lieut. Ordway, acting commandant at the post, who is the Junior officer, will make an official call upon Capt. Goette tomorrow, which call will be returned by the German commandant.

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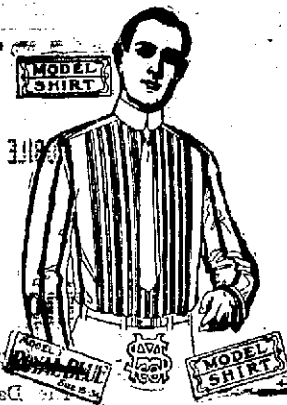
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KITTERY LETTER

Kittery, Aug. 25.
The temperance lecture at the Foresters last evening by O. W. Stewart of Chicago was fairly well attended, but was worthy of a much larger audience. Mr. Stewart spoke of conditions in general throughout the country and especially urged that the prohibition law in Maine remain unchanged. He is a lecturer of wide renown, having spoken in every state in the Union but two, and therefore knows personally of the conditions of which he speaks. Rev. Elmer Lalle of North Kittery rendered cornet solos.

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Mrs. John Green and Mrs. Helen Johnson were visitors at Sanford yesterday.

Misses Nettie, Annie and Mary Hanscom and Robert Hodgson left Thursday for a week's sojourn at Old Orchard.

Hiram Sherbourne has been confined to his home on Love Lane for a few days by sickness.

Clarence Joy of Emery Mills was calling on friends here Thursday.

Mrs. Charles A. Gerry of Love Lane passed Thursday with friends in Elliot.

Miss Nettie M. Hanscom is enjoying a week's vacation from her duties in Portsmouth.

Warren Cain of New York, baritone, will sing at the Second Methodist church Sunday at both morning and evening services.

Miss Fannie Walker of Cambridge is in town to pass the week end with friends.

Mrs. Ella Brackett Stanley of Springvale, Me., was the guest of her uncle, A. H. Brackett and wife, of Love Lane on Thursday.

Norman Moore of Kittery Depot has been obliged to give up work at the navy yard owing to the condition of his health.

Mrs. James R. Philbrick and daughter, Mrs. Walter B. Flanders, were visitors in Elliot Thursday.

Mrs. Edgar Burnham and Mrs. Daniel Cook are attending camp meeting at Old Orchard.

Miss Overtie Gerry of Commercial Street is the guest of relatives in Springvale, Me.

Remember, the special bar to the Odd Fellows' picnic leaves the hall at 9.55 tomorrow.

Miss Amy Windrich is on a brief visit to Manchester, N. H.

Edwin A. Chesley of Government Street is on a few days' furlough from his duties at the navy yard, and is attending the G. A. R. encampment at Rochester, N. Y.

Three rough looking tramps who camped near Kittery Junction Wednesday night, caused no little excitement in that part of the town Thursday morning.

There will be no game of ball by the local team Saturday owing to the fact that the Odd Fellows' picnic takes place that day.

Regular meeting this evening of St. Aspinquid Tribe of Red Men at Grange hall.

York Rebekah Lodge met last evening and after the meeting a peanut hunt was enjoyed. Margaret Jackson carried home the prize for finding the most while Mrs. Nellie Trefethen took the consolation prize for discovering the least.

Judge James W. Locke of Jacksonville, Fla., and this town, was elected one of the vice presidents of the Locke Family Association at the reunion Wednesday.

A party of young people are enjoying camp life on the shore of Spruce Creek, among them being Howard Amee, William Auketel, Norman Moore and Walter Grogan.

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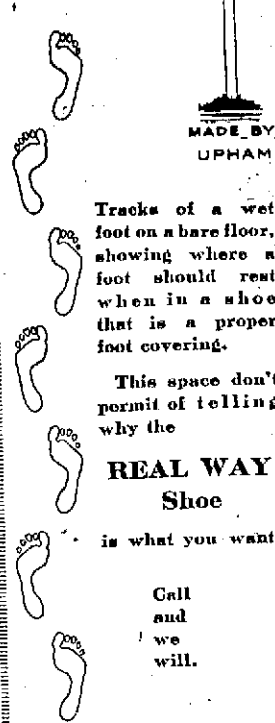
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Mr. Warren Cain, tenor of Jersey City will sing at the Second Methodist church on Sunday.

Kittery Point

The revenue cutter Androscooggin came into port Thursday morning and Cape George M. Daniels and eight of his officers and men took a train for North Berwick, where they attended the funeral of the cutter's first lieutenant, William A. Whittier.

Whittier was murdered on a North End street in Boston last Saturday night.

It is understood that the ferry-boat Kittery, which is at Portland undergoing repairs, must have practically a new bottom. This part of her hull has not been painted since she was launched 11 years ago and worms have riddled the wood until the inspectors ordered the work done.

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KNOW MAN WHO HIT WHITTIER

Police Say They Can Pick Person Who Hurlled Revenue Officer to Ground

FIST - FIGHT; NO WEAPONS

Boston, Aug. 25.—Joseph Cuneo of 76 Salem street and Edward F. Gleason of 146 Endicott street were held in \$2000 yesterday in the municipal court by Judge Burke on the charges of manslaughter in connection with the death of Lieut. William A. Whittier of the revenue cutter Androscooggin. Whittier died as the result of a fracas at North and Richmond streets on Saturday night. Cuneo and Gleason will have hearings on Aug. 30. The arrest of this pair makes five taken in connection with the Whittier affair, John Gariboto, Francisco Casner and Giuseppe Balsurro having been taken on Wednesday.

Cuneo was arrested Wednesday night by Special Officer McDonald, Sergt. Murphy and Sergt. McDevitt on Hanover street and he promptly furnished bail. Gleason was taken from his express wagon by inspectors Rooney and Macaulay of police headquarters, and he expects to get ball later.

The police yesterday stated unofficially that Whittier met his death by striking his head on the stone pavement, a blow knocking him down and causing the fatal injury. The police also believe that it was a fist fight, pure and simple, and that no weapons were used in the melee. They are also confident that they can pick out the man of the five who struck the blow which hurled Whittier to the ground.

Essex, Mass., are visiting their brother, Roy C. Norton and wife.

E. H. Roller of Newark, N. J., a sojourner at the Parkfield, has chartered the new motor boat of Hiram Tobey, Sr.

Capt. James Boardman's passenger launch Flo and Ruby and the launch Sam Adams are substituting on the Isles of Shoals route for the disabled steamer Munnatawket.

PERSONALS

Miss M. A. Reed of Lawrence has taken a position at the local hospital in the nursing corps.

Mrs. Catherine Lane and Miss Catherine Lane of Melrose, Mass., are visiting Mrs. Lane's niece, Mrs. Ellen Lambert.

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LOOK! Men's silk hose, price 25c.
LOOK! Children's wash suits 39c, 59c and 99c for this sale.
LOOK! Men's Coverl and light top Coats former prices \$10.00, \$12.00 and \$15.00, now \$4.98.
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SNAPSHOTS AT NOTABLES

Madeleine Force, Who Is to Wed John J. Astor.



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Madeleine Talmage Force, whose engagement to Colonel John Jacob Astor was recently announced, is the daughter of William H. Force of New York, head of the firm of W. H. Force & Co., forwarding agents. Colonel Astor is the great-grandson and namesake of the founder of the Astor millions. Colonel Astor's first wife, who was Miss Ava Willing of Philadelphia, obtained a divorce last March. Under that decree the colonel cannot marry in New York state during her lifetime unless at the termination of five years from the date of the divorce the court shall see fit on his application to modify that provision in the decree. Miss Madeleine Force, an extremely pretty girl, was graduated only last May. She is about one year younger than Colonel Astor's son Vincent, who was born Nov. 15, 1891. The colonel himself is forty-seven years old.

Fire Chief of New York City. John B. Kenlon, recently commissioned chief of New York city's fire fighting force, won his position as the result of a competitive civil service examination. He succeeds Edward Croker, for many years chief and considered one of the foremost fire fighters in the world. The new chief is a native of Dublin, Ireland, and is fifty-one years old. When he was fourteen years old he went to sea and sailed on merchant



Photo by American Press Association.

ships almost up to the time of his appointment to the fire department on April 2, 1887. When he retired from seafaring life he held a master's license. He was made a battalion chief in 1903, and when the marine division was organized in December, 1908, Kenlon was put at its head. The new chief's career as a fire fighter has not been spectacular, although he has had many narrow escapes from death and is a wearer of the three starred insignia of merit and at least a score of medals.

Congressman Carter's Blood. Representative Carter of Oklahoma is seven-eighths Chickasaw and one-eighth Indian and one-sixteenth Shawnee. He is a native of Oklahoma and was born in 1864.

HIGH PRICED PEACHES.

The Ones They Had In London, Perhaps, but Not in New York. They walked into the breakfast room at one of the big New York hotels the other day—hickies, precise and querulous. They had just returned from a tour of Europe and gave that continent the big talk at every chance. "Have you no South African peaches?" they asked plaintively. "We have been stopping at the Savoy in London, and there were plenty of South African peaches." The hotel manager was found. He hastened to the complaining ones. Certainly the hotel had South African peaches. They were imported especially for the hotel guests; came from the same peach orchard that the Savoy's peaches did. The faces of the traveled persons did not light up with joy and appreciation, as one would think. "How much are they?" they asked with a singular timidity. "Three dollars each," said the hotel manager. The traveled persons promptly protested. "But we only paid—how—\$2.50 for them at the Savoy," said they. The hotel manager expressed his regret at the overcharge. He said they might have them at the same price that they paid at the Savoy in London, and how many would they like to have? "How, Alfred," said one of the plaintive traveled persons to the other plaintive traveled person, "let us have—how—one of those dear old fashioned breakfasts of ham and eggs." "Right, old dear," said Alfred. The hotel manager went away grinning softly to himself. He had never had any peaches from South Africa.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

POSTAL PUZZLES.

They Were Easy Reading For Uncle Sam's Clever Officials. A letter with the addressee's face roughly drawn on the envelope and the words "Baltimore, Md." following wasn't too great a puzzle for the men who decipher mail addresses for Uncle Sam. The letter was sent from Clarksburg, W. Va., by J. M. Crouch. When it reached the Baltimore post-office the postmaster said it had to be delivered. Several of the experts were puzzling over how that trick could be turned when the mail carrier in whose district a big hotel is walked up to a group around the man holding the letter and said, "Why, that's Sam Hooper, chief clerk of the hotel." And it was for Sam, who opened it and learned that his friend wished to engage a room for that night. When Crouch arrived at the hotel the room was ready for him. About twenty years ago a European peasant mailed on the other side of the Atlantic a letter the envelope of which bore this sort of address: HANS SIEGLICH, First House in America. It was easy for New York postoffice men, the first house in America to immigrants being Castle Garden, where they were then received. In Castle Garden Hans was found without delay.—New York Press.

Soluble Glass. In 1818 a German professor stumbled upon the discovery of soluble glass, which he made from silica with soda and potash combined. This is now extensively used for rendering wood-work incombustible and marble and plaster secure against atmospheric agents, as a vehicle for mineral colors, in a kind of fresco painting to be exposed to the weather. In the manufacture of artificial stone and in the composition of fireproof cements for stores, etc.

About thirty years ago it was discovered that glass might be rendered exceedingly hard by dipping it in oil when at a certain degree of temperature. The particles, however, seem to be put in a state of high tension, and the whole may suddenly fly into a thousand pieces.

The Romany Rye. The first notice of gypsies which occurs in European literature is from the pen of an Austrian monk about 1122. They are described by him in very uncomplimentary terms as "ishmaelites and brashers, who go peddling through the wide world, having neither house nor home, cheating the people with their tricks and deceiving mankind, but not openly." Having got a bad name, they seem to have been in the middle ages treated everywhere with systematic harshness. In England the most barbarous decrees against them were issued, even as late as the days of Henry VIII. and Elizabeth.—London Globe.

Well Qualified. Father—Well, my son, you have now got your commission and are prepared to join your regiment and fight for the glory of our country. Do you think you have the necessary qualifications? Young Officer—Well, I should think so. I am the champion long distance runner of our club.—London Mail.

Virtue. Virtue consists in making desire subordinate to duty, passion to principle. The pillars of character are moderation, temperance, chastity, simplicity, self control. Its method is self denial.

Too Risky. "We should close our eyes to the unsightly things in life." "Too risky. I tried that once and slipped on a banana peel."—Washington Herald.

A man should be bright, not bare. He's kept bright, but he's bare.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

CALLED IN THE DOCTOR.

Then He and the Patient Found They Were Two of a Kind. In the Metropolitan theater the house physician has a seat given him for each performance. He is supposed to be there every evening. Naturally there comes a time when the play begins to pall on him. One evening not long ago the stage manager of a local playhouse rushed down the aisle to the doctor's seat and whispered: "Come back at once. The leading lady has had an attack." In the lady's dressing room all was confusion. "What'll we do, doc?" cried the stage manager. "Have you poured water on her head?" "Yes, a whole bucket, out of the one that says 'Not to be used except in case of fire.'" "Then don't pour any more. I fear you have made a fatal mistake. Run out to the drug store and get this filled." When they had run out the lady opened her eyes. "Doc," she gasped, "you're a good fellow, ain't you? I know you know there's nothing the matter with me. I want a day off, and I don't want to go on in this act. Can you fix it?" "I sure can," he answered, wringing her hand sympathetically. "I ain't a doctor. I came in on his ticket. We'll fix it."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

ARMLESS PAINTERS.

Sarah Biffen, For Instance, Who Made Remarkable Miniatures. Miss Sarah Biffen was a conspicuous example of the skill which armless people sometimes acquire in spite of their affliction. She was miniature painter to Queen Victoria, and her work was widely known for its beauty and delicacy. She was born without arms, but as a girl, having a great wish to become an artist, she worked earnestly for years until she could paint by holding the brush in her teeth. In 1821, according to the Raja Yogi Messenger, the judges, without any knowledge of the means she was compelled to use, awarded her the gold medal of the Society of Arts, a prize sought by hundreds of others. M. de Mentholon and Bertram Miles were other artists who were deprived of the use of their arms. The former had only one foot, which he used to paint with. Mr. Miles lost both his arms in an accident, being run over by a street car when he was only eight years old and when he was just beginning to acquire skill in drawing. He spent two years in patient toil learning to draw by holding the pencil in his teeth, at the end of which time he won a first class certificate from a local art-school.

An Antidote Handy. The woman was the author of a cookbook that had been published at her request with wide margins and occasional blank pages for notes and additional recipes. Often she had expressed a wish to see an old copy of the book and find out to what use the blank spaces had been put. One day in a second-hand bookstore her husband unearthed an old volume. Noticing that it had been annotated freely, he bought it. After a day or two he said: "How about the notes in that cookbook? Were they interesting?" "No," she said curtly; "they didn't amount to anything."

When he got a chance he looked through the book himself. Every note the book contained was a remedy for dyspepsia and stomach trouble.—New York Times.

A Regular Sherlock Holmes. Under the caption "A Triumph of Sense" "Jugend" tells this story: "In the lower court of a small town in Saxony William had served faithfully and well as attendant to the presiding judge for many years without ever having received any reward aside from his legal stipend. On the day of adjournment for the season, when visitors had retired, the judge, who was also about to leave, asked, 'William, do you smoke?' Seeing a square box under the judge's arm, he answered respectfully, 'Yes, your honor.' 'I knew it by the smell of your coat,' said the judge as he walked out."

First Title of "Vanity Fair." Brighton, England, holds memories of Thackeray. It was while staying at the Old Ship that he commenced a novel which was to be called "Pencil Sketches of English Society." One night as he was lying in bed a better title suddenly occurred to him. "I jumped out of bed," he told Miss Perry afterward, "and ran three times round my room, uttering as I went, 'Vanity Fair, 'Vanity Fair, 'Vanity Fair.'"

Protection. "I understand that you don't speak to your neighbors." "Not any more than necessary," replied Mr. Groucher. "Of course they are like neighbors, but we also have a fine cook, and we don't care to have them get acquainted with her."—Washington Star.

Recompense. Miss Passy—You have saved my life, young man. How can I repay you? How can I show my gratitude? Are you married? Young Man—Yes; come and be a cook for us.—Woman's Home Companion.

Chilly. "Meet any icebergs on your way across?" "No, but several of us tried to get with a Boston girl who was on board."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

FUNERAL TORTURE.

Ways of the Wives When a Bororo Indian Dies. On the death of a Bororo Indian the wife tears out handfuls of her hair and throws it on his corpse, says a writer in the July Wide World Magazine. At intervals during the first day after his death she shakes him, as though wishing to bring him back to life, and kisses his cold brow. Her efforts being in vain, she retires and the Balre approaches. He proclaims that the man has died for the sins he committed during his life. Then the relatives paint his body with "upou," an ointment made out of the root of a wild tropical plant. Gorgeous feathers of the most varied hues are then strewn over him, and the corpse is wrapped up in a matting of straw. The moment before the burial the wives approach one after the other and cover his feet with the blood dripping from the wounds and gashes they have inflicted on their backs and arms. This ceremony is followed by another. Three Indians appear dressed in the clothes—if the few rags they wear can be called thus—of the dead man and begin singing and dancing. In the meantime the corpse is carried to the "Bahyrt," a huge mound in the center of the colony, and should the dancing and singing Indians become tired before it is reached three others take their places. The body lies on the mound three days. Then the Balre goes to the mound and, seating himself at the foot of the dead man, is supposed to receive his soul in keeping.

THE BRAIN IN SLEEP.

Changes in the Volume of Blood Circulation When We Dream. Dreams are due to an increase of sensation and circulation over that which exists in profound sleep. Observations made upon patients with cerebral defects show that when we are dreaming the brain is greater in volume than in deep sleep and less than when we are awake. Thus this intermediate volume of blood would indicate that dreams are an intermediate stage between unconsciousness and wakefulness, and their incomplete and irregular intelligence would indicate the same thing. This increased circulation is usually due to sensory stimulation affecting the vasomotor center and causing a return of blood to the head, with resultant increased consciousness.

Contrary to popular belief, dreams in themselves do not contribute to light or broken sleep in which they are present. Such a condition is due to the ever present stimuli, which according to their strength or the degree of irritability of the cells, maintain even in sleep a varying degree of consciousness of which the dreams are merely a manifestation. Therefore the fatiguing effect often also attributed to dreams is not due to them, but to the lighter degree of sleep and less complete cell restoration which they accompany and which are due to some irritation.—Atlantic.

A Painful Mistake. Bitter experience is a wonderful teacher. No doubt the young lady of whom London ideas talk had often been told that she ought to wear glasses, but had neglected or refused to do so.

There was a most determined look in her eye, however, as she marched into the optician's shop. "I want a pair of glasses immediately," she said, "good, strong ones. I won't be without them for another day."

"Good, strong ones?" "Yes, please. I was out in the country yesterday, and I made a very painful blunder, which I have no wish to repeat."

"Indeed! Mistake an entire stranger for an old friend, perhaps?" "No, nothing of the sort. I mistook a bumblebee for a blackberry."

Life in Persian Oases. Dr. Sven Hedin, describing his overland journey to India across the Persian desert, gives a graphic account of the oases where his party occasionally camped under palm trees. There the singing birds which twitter during the day are silent at night, but the "song of the desert" is continued during the hours of darkness by the melancholy serenade of the jackals. "These oases are infested by three objectionable and dangerous inhabitants—a deadly snake, black and white scorpions, and a poisonous tarantula spider, which, although it lives out in the desert, is attracted to the oases by the light of the campfires.

Her Self Sacrifice. "She's awfully self sacrificing." "How do you make that out?" "Well, she stayed at home from church Sunday to sit up with a sick woman."

"Hub! She isn't a regular churchgoer. I don't see anything self sacrificing in that."

"You don't? But, my dear, she had a new gown and a new hat that had just arrived Saturday night."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

WEIGHED THE ELEPHANT.

A Problem Which a Hindu Prince Was Able to Solve. There is a story often told in India of Shajee, a Hindu prince, who on a certain occasion showed himself almost as clever as Archimedes. A high official had made a vow that he would distribute to the poor the weight of his own elephant in silver money. But the great difficulty that at first presented itself was the mode of ascertaining what this weight really was. All the learned and clever men of the court seemed to have endeavored in vain to construct a machine of sufficient power to weigh the elephant. At length Shajee came forward and suggested a plan which was simple and yet ingenious to the highest degree. He caused the unwieldy animal to be conducted along a stage specially made for the purpose by the water-side into a flat bottomed boat. Then, having marked on the boat the height to which the water reached after the elephant had weighed it down, the latter was taken out and stones substituted in sufficient quantity to hold the boat to the same level. The stones were then taken to the scales, and thus, to the amazement of the court, was ascertained the true weight of the elephant.—Exchange.

FIGHTING FISH.

In the Rage of Battle They Turn From Dull to Brilliant Colors. In the gardens of Singapore it is the custom to stock the ponds with all manner of queer fishes, many of them of the fighting variety so dear to the heart of the orientals. This species of fish is so combative that it is only necessary to place two of them near each other, like fighting cocks, and perhaps to irritate them a little to bring on a lively conflict. They at once charge each other with this effect, at the same time changing color in their excitement from the dull est of gray greens to brilliant reds and blues. Indeed, confinement in glass quarters is not needed to arouse their combative propensities. Place two glass jars close together, with one of these fighting fish in each and they will at once swim round and endeavor to charge each other through the interposed glass. Even a single fish seeing himself reflected in a mirror will dart at his own image and, irritated all the more by his failure to reach his supposed enemy, will assume the most brilliant tints. Seeing his reflected antagonist do the same, he will redouble his efforts to reach him.—Exchange.

Photographs For Lawyers. One call for services a professional photographer dislikes above all others and that is to get an order for a picture that is to be used as evidence in a lawsuit. The photographers who are most in demand for this purpose are the busiest ones, those who make a specialty of taking pictures of news events for the papers at 1 magazines. When any one wants photographic evidence he is likely to remember the name of some firm of professionals that he has seen often in print and asks them to do the job.

"We wouldn't mind that sort of work so much if taking the picture was all that there was to it," said one of these picture men. "We get \$3 or \$5 for the picture. Later we get a subpoena, and we have to send to court the man that took it, to swear that he recognizes his work, that he took the picture, that he never was arrested and a lot of other fool stuff that uses up a day's time. Therefore we never touch such a job knowingly."—New York Sun.

A Curious Locomotive. The Durjooling-Humayras railway is one of the most curious in the world. It is of two foot gauge and on account of the steepness is full of loops, curves and spirals, many of the curves having only seventy feet radius. Some of the gradients are as high as one foot in twenty-eight. A special type of locomotive, the Garratt, had to be made for it at Manchester. "This locomotive was required by the specifications to be able to travel on reverse curves not exceeding sixty feet radius, with only twenty feet of length of tangent between the curves. The engine consists of a frame supported at each end by four wheeled bogies, each of which is described as a miniature locomotive without boiler. The boiler is carried on the frame between the bogies.—Youth's Companion.

Both Wrong. Sandy and his master drove up to the small station as the train approached. "Here's yer train, sir," said Sandy. "That is not my train," replied the master, who had his own ideas about correct speech. "But it's the train I am going by." But it happened to be a special train and didn't stop at the station, whereupon Sandy exclaimed, "We're both wrong, for it's neither your train nor the one ye're gane by, but it's the one that's gane by you."

Betrayed. "Say, mamma, can Anna see in the dark, like a cat?" "Why, child, what makes you ask such a question?" "Oh, last night when Cousin Carl was here I heard Anna say in the dark room, 'You must really shave oftener, Carl.'"—Exchange.

Better. "Your wife never sings any more. Did she lose her voice?" "No; she found her sense."—Toledo Blade.

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FRANCE TO TEST PUBLIC OPINION

Paris, Aug. 24.—A cabinet council has been called for next Friday, when a consideration will be given to what is designed to be France's final word to Germany concerning Morocco and the compensations to Germany in other parts of Africa. The ministry will have to estimate the effect upon French public opinion of this reply, when it is published ultimately, quite as much as its effect on Germany.

OBITUARY

Jasper Grant. Jasper H. Grant, one of the best known members of the colored colony, died at his home on Hanover street on Thursday evening at the age of 60 years. Mr. Grant was a veteran of the civil war and was wounded several times while in action. He was a member of the Union Veterans Union and has always been active in its welfare. For a great many years he was the family coachman for the late Charles Meridian and afterwards until failing health interfered the janitor of the P. A. C.

Fred E. Holmes. Died at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Holmes, Jones avenue, Fred E. Holmes, aged 4 months 5 days.

Mrs. Harriet G. Davis. Mrs. Harriet G. Davis died at the Sea View house August 24th aged 49 years 2 months 21 days. Mrs. Davis was the widow of the late Dr. W. H. Davis of Chicago.

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BOYS' SPORTS AT PLAYGROUNDS

The sports at the play ground on Thursday afternoon were especially keen and greatly enjoyed by the boys. The result was as follows:

Pole-chub—1, Charles Thomas, 6 1/2 seconds; 2, Bradley Rutledge, 6 1/2 seconds; 3, Theodore Butler, 7 seconds.

Running broad jump—1, Charles Thomas, 14 ft., 1 in.; 2, Harold Shaw, 12 ft., 9 in.; 3, Joe Gussman, 12 ft., 8 1/2 in.

Pull-up—1, Ralph Hoyt, 11 times; 2, William Shannon, 10 times; 3, Bill Phillips, 9 times.

Shot put—1, Fred Gibson, 21-2; 2, John Berry, 21-3; 3, Bill Phillips, 20-4.

On fourth mile run—1, Charles Thomas, 1 min., 9 sec.; 2, Bradley Rutledge, 1 min., 11 sec.; 3, John Berry, 1 min., 14 1/2 sec.

Base running—1, Charles Thomas, 17 1/2 sec.; 2, Bill Phillips, 18 sec.; 3, Bradley Rutledge, 18 1/2 sec.

100 yd. dash—1, Charles Thomas, 12 sec.; 2, Ralph Hoyt, 13 sec.; 3, Bradley Rutledge, 14 sec.

The button medals came today and were distributed to the boys who had won them. Athletic meets will be held each Tuesday and Thursday at 3 p. m. and the button medals will be awarded to the winners.

The three leaders at present are—Charles Thomas, 109 points; Herbert Brookfield, 60 points; Ralph Hoyt, 31 points.

BOY WARRIORS OF RUSSIA ARE THANKED BY CZAR.

LONDON.—The boy scouts of Russia were reviewed by his imperial majesty at the immense expanse known as Mars field. The evolutions of these minute warriors, clad in scarlet, green, white and khaki uniforms, were watched with the utmost interest by huge crowds.

Six thousand boys marched past the Emperor, and as the sovereign rode down the lines, the boys, after the manner of Russian soldiers, cried: "We wish good health to your majesty."

Drills and gymnastic exercises were gone through, during which a football team kicked the ball among the imperial suite, while the bands of the different contingents played throughout this most entertaining review. One small soldier, a drummer, was said to be only five years old.

The Czar, after thanking each detachment, expressed his gratitude to the officers and schoolmasters. It is said that Russia will soon have 200,000 boy soldiers.

A NEW THEATRICAL PERIL.

The young woman who lost her hair while under the spell of dramatic illusion in a Pittsburgh theatre is surely the first person thus afflicted in such circumstances. Plays have been called "hair raising," to be sure, but we do not remember one

that has been thought powerful enough actually to remove the hair from a spectator's head. In this case there is no pretense that either the play or the acting was instrumental in removing the lady's hair. A pair of scissors was swiftly and capably handled by a thief while the mind of the owner of the hair was intent upon the stage.

It is a good story, even if it does come from Pittsburgh, and in the days of the theatre it might suggest a new peril for feminine patrons of dramatic art, but the circumstances were unusual. In fact, the effect of few plays is as absorbing enough to carry the contemporary woman so far away from the realities of life that her back hair could be removed without her knowledge. The name of the play which exerted a spell so great upon the Pittsburgh lady has not been revealed, but, after all, much of the power of theatrical illusion is with the spectator. This was an exceptional case. What is more her hair was really her own. It grew naturally upon her head. Her loss is therefore more deplorable than such a loss would be with most other women.

We speak only from hearsay, and are anxious to be corrected if our information is mistaken. But we understand that most of the feminine back hair so effectively displayed in the theatre can be removed, by an expert hand, without the use of scissors, and that its loss could easily be repaired. Of course, if the practice of hair stealing should become common in the theatre, patronage of the drama might be made unduly expensive, but doubtless the over-alert insurance agents would soon be offering an extremely desirable line of hair insurance at attractive rates. Anyhow, the theatrical season is at hand, and with the

alarm this Pittsburgh incident may cause in mind, we are anxious to do all in our power to uphold the cause of the drama and encourage others to do likewise.—New York Times.

THIS CADILLAC HAS A RECORD OF 138,000 MILES.

One of the First Year's Models Piles Up Remarkable Mileage—Still Running.

W. W. Brackenridge, of Harrison, Ohio, has given to the Cadillac Motor Car Company the history of a Cadillac which has placed 138,000 miles behind it and is still on the go. The car is one of those turned out in the first year's production.

The car which has made this remarkable record was first sold to a dealer in southern Ohio, and by him to a man who ran it for a time and later resold it to the dealer. These two drove the car about 60,000 miles and before the car left Cincinnati this had been increased to 100,000 miles.

A physician was the next owner, and in a year's use he added 25,000 miles to a distance that already was equal to four times the circumference of the globe.

From the doctor's hands the car passed into possession of a garage owner, who ran the mileage up to

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138,000 miles in the strenuous service of touring disabled cars home. A month ago the car was sold and was driven to the new owner's home. The really remarkable features of this record are told by Mr. Brackenridge as follows:

"The expense of upkeep, as near as I can determine, in all those years has been for two rear springs, three chains one radiator, one water pump, one side of the driving axle and half a dozen Bonford cores.

"The engine still has good compression, and I was unable to find any of the owners who had ground the valves.

"After running seven years we were tearing down a woolen mill here and used the car for the job. With the car loaded to hold her down we broke a 10x10 inch white oak beam (found, too) on low gear; also hauled a 40-foot telephone pole, dragging full length, for a quarter mile on high gear.

"To years ago I took it apart to clean it up. All the gears in the differential were like new. Those in the transmission were worn just enough to make the point where they mesh look bright. The rod that pushes the roller to open valves was worn almost in two.

"I forget to tell in the list of repairs of three ball races for front wheels and rear wheels.

"The axle, purchased long after the car was put in on the road five miles from here, where a broken ball race cut the old one off. It fit perfectly—a tribute to your policy of standardization."

Old Time Trade Signs. On nearly all street corners even in the largest metropolises of Europe may be found relics of the middle ages and of the earliest times. Take, for instance, the wooden image of a shoe, which every cobbler hangs out above his door. It goes back for its origin to the Rome of the pre-Christian era. In the ruins of the lava buried cities of Herculaneum and Pompeii many shop signs of stone and terra cotta have been discovered, the forerunners of those that for centuries adorned the highways not only of Europe, but of the new world. Among them was the emblem of the shoemaker's trade, a cupid carrying a dainty pair of women's shoes. But the Romans did not stop there. They used the image of a goat to indicate the dairies, that of a mule driving a mill to point out the bakers' shops and a bush of evergreen to direct the thirsty traveler to a tavern. This particular sign gave rise to the English proverb, "Good wine needs no bush."

The View From an Aeroplane. It is a great surprise to the initiated to see how uniform the surface of the earth appears when viewed from a great altitude. Although individual objects are hard to identify, such things as rivers, lakes and railroads are easily recognized by their contour, direction or some slight individuality or characteristic which can readily be shown upon a map, especially if the maps are made or corrected by men who fly above the earth and get an accurate and literal bird's-eye view of its surface. Objects which seem to loom up with the greatest clearness to one standing on the surface of the earth appear very different and quite insignificant when viewed from above, while a patch of colored soil which would not be noticed at all by a person standing on the ground is a most valuable landmark to the air sailor.—Columbian Magazine.

Jumping Coccinels. Many visitors to the southwestern states and Mexico have amused themselves by watching the queer motions of "jumping beans," the seed vessels of a plant, each of which contain the pupa of an insect whose spasmodic movements cause the bean to hop and roll about.

More remarkable are the "jumping coccinels" found in South Africa. The coccinel is formed by the mother insect and is very hard. The pupa when ready to emerge must cut its way out. The front of its head has a sharp, chisel-like edge, and by driving this against the inside of the shell it gradually makes a hole. The violent motions of the pupa within caused the coccinel to leap so that one has been seen to spring out of a small glass tumbler.—St. Louis Republic.

Saved Storage Charges. Young men with meager salaries evolve financial makeshifts of all sorts to get along. One of the most common is to "rent" their automobiles.

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IN THE WORLD OF SPORT

Bresnahan Now Most Talked
of Manager in Country.



Photo by American Press Association.

Roger Bresnahan, leader of the St. Louis Cardinals, is the sensation of the National league this season. With a team picked to finish about sixth or seventh, he has forced the pace and has his Cardinals camped close up on the leaders. Bresnahan is a graduate of the McGraw school. He is an aggressive, resourceful leader and with but mediocre material is making every team step to win. His men admire his fighting spirit and seem imbued with it. Even if the Cardinals get no higher than they are at present Bresnahan will have earned his salary, and his performance in handling them as high as fifth will be met with acclamations by the Mound City fans and baseball sharks everywhere.

Proposes Football Changes.

At a meeting of the International Football association board of Great Britain the following proposal was submitted by the Football association. Law 1 footnote (B) to read, "Clubs may during the season of 1911-12 mutually agree to use a ball other than one with an outer case of leather, provided this law is otherwise complied with." This was agreed to unanimously.

Laws 5 and 17.—The laws to be altered to provide that in the event of any infringement of law 5 a throw-in shall be awarded to the opposite side. This was withdrawn. It was recommended by the board that the Irish and Scottish Football association should consider the advisability of commencing the playing season on Sept. 1 and finish April 30, so that the conditions might be similar in the four countries—England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales.

Here's Record For Consecutive Games.

Harry Cassidy, the right gardener of the Denver Western league team, has what is thought to be a record for consecutive games played in Class A baseball. He is now rounding out his fifth year with the Denver club and has played over 500 games without a miss. Cassidy is twenty-nine years old and has played professional baseball for six years. He was given tryouts with the Pittsburgh and Washington clubs when he first broke into the professional circle.

How Good Hitters Grip Their Bats.

Good hitters hold their bats differently. Lajoie and Cobb grip their bats at the end. Jim Delahanty of Detroit holds his bat six inches from the end. Lajoie and Cobb take long, hard swings at the ball, while Delahanty chops at it. Speaker of Boston and Sam Crawford of Detroit hold their sticks like Cobb and Lajoie. So do nearly all the other batsmen who make long drives. Willie Keeler, now with Toronto, Eastern league, chokes his club.

Elberfeld Likes Third Base.

"Scrappy" Elberfeld says he likes to play third base better than any other infield position. "It's like a vacation over on that corner after one has been playing at short or second," says the Tabasco Kid. "Were I a young man instead of a veteran in the game I would start out with the fixed purpose of seeing how good a third baseman I could make of myself. It's the easiest of all the infield positions to play. That is just a little tip to the youngsters."

National Ten Mile Swimming Race.

The Missouri Athletic club of St. Louis has decided to hold the fifth annual National Amateur Athletic union ten mile championship in the Mississippi river Aug. 10, the third Saturday in the month, instead of Labor day, the first Monday in September, as has been the custom for the past four years. The reason for changing the date of the race is that for the past three years it has been either chilly or has rained Labor day.

Cobb Has Automobile Cinched.

How in the world can that jury give any one else that automobile but Ty Cobb? With the score a tie recently in the ninth inning, Cobb scored from first base on a single. Can you beat that? In addition he got a two bagger and two singles in five times at bat.

BAND CONCERT.

The Portsmouth city band gave another of their series of delightful concerts on the Square on Thursday evening and it was attended by a large crowd.

The program:
March—Knights Templar Keating
Overture—Janetta Aubor
Selection—J. Lombardi Verdi
March—Royal Bagley
Waltz—From The Red Mill Herbert
Medley—Rondelet's hits Lampo
Irish Overture—Beauties of Erin Bennett
March—Capt. Fitzpatrick Weldon
National Air.
M. J. Devine bandmaster.

"Oceana Roll"

Seizes New York Walkers

Ragtime walking is the latest on Broadway. It is a sort of gliding motion in exaggerated form. The pedestrian so affected pushes up a shoulder with each step. When he puts his right foot forward the corresponding

shoulder goes up. When the other foot steps out the left shoulder rises slightly. With every step the entire body, from the waist up, sways. In the case of the young man so affected he frequently jerks his hands with each step or snaps his fingers. That the new walk is a result of the "Oceana Roll" craze is evident from the fact that often the ragtime pedestrian will whistle or hum the tune of this novel song.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

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FOR SALE—Two large sofas need covering price right. Inquire at this office.

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MISCELLANEOUS

W. I. LUCAS, dealer in Yankee notions and second-hand goods of every description. Telephone 794-L, 14 Penhallow St., Portsmouth, N. H. Furniture bought and sold. 11

ANTIQUE FURNITURE and Old Books. A. J. Rutledge, 53 Columbia street, Portsmouth, N. H. ch11

Have your cleaning done by Robt. B. Brown, 107 Market Street. Your house is wired or not. Razors, Carriage Draperies and Furniture. P. H. Brown, 115 Market Street. 11

TRANSPORTATION

BOSTON MAINE TIME TABLE In Effect June 20, 1911

Trains for Portsmouth leave Boston at 5.58 a. m., 7.30 a. m., 8.48 a. m., 9.01 a. m., 9.26 a. m., 10.01 a. m., 10.26 a. m., 12.51 p. m., 1.41 p. m., 3.11 p. m., 3.31 p. m., 4.57 p. m., 6.01 p. m., 7.31 p. m., 10.01 p. m. Sundays, 4.01 a. m., 6.26 a. m., 8.21 a. m., 9.01 a. m., 10.31 a. m., 1.31 p. m., 7.01 p. m., 10.01 p. m.

Leave Portsmouth for Boston—3.10 a. m., 5.24 a. m., 6.25 a. m., 7.00 a. m., 7.30 a. m., 8.19 a. m., 10.30 a. m., 10.50 a. m., 1.35 p. m., 1.45 p. m., 2.20 p. m., 3.10 p. m., 4.57 p. m., 6.12 p. m., 6.38 p. m., 7.37 p. m., Sundays, 2.10 a. m., 5.24 a. m., 8.00 a. m., 11.00 a. m., 2.02 p. m., 5.00 p. m., 6.40 p. m., 7.38 p. m., 7.45 p. m.

For Dover—5.55 a. m., 9.30 a. m., 10.51 a. m., 12.22 p. m., 3.31 p. m., 5.22 p. m., 8.30 p. m. Sundays, 7.55 a. m., 10.45 a. m., 1.30 p. m., 5.00 p. m., 9.30 p. m.

Leave Dover—7.03 a. m., 10.05 a. m., 11.25 a. m., 1.50 p. m., 4.35 p. m., 7.15 p. m., 6.50 p. m., 10.15 p. m. Sundays, 7.20 a. m., 11.45 p. m., 2.00 p. m., 4.10 p. m., 10.15 p. m.

Leave Portsmouth for York Beach—8.22 a. m., 10.33 a. m., 11.35 p. m., 3.15 p. m., 4.55 p. m., 6.55 p. m. Sundays, 10.38 a. m., 11.37 a. m.

Leave York Beach for Portsmouth—6.45 a. m., 9.55 a. m., 11.45 a. m., 1.35 p. m., 4.05 p. m., 6.45 p. m. Sundays, 5.00 a. m., 4.50 p. m.

For Concord—7.27 a. m. (Monday only), 8.35 a. m., 11.24 p. m., 5.28 p. m. Sundays, 7.35 p. m.

Leave Concord for Portsmouth—7.32 a. m., 9.50 a. m., 2.55 p. m. (Saturdays only), 3.30 p. m. Sundays, 8.23 a. m.

NAVY YARD FERRY TIME TABLE

Leave Navy Yard—7.45, 8.45, 9.15, 10.05, 10.30, 11.15, 11.45 a. m., 1.00, 1.15, 2.45, 3.30, 4.00, 4.30, 4.45, 5.00, 6.00, 7.45, 8.15, 10.00, 10.15 a. m., 12.15, 12.35 p. m. Holidays—9.30, 10.30, 11.30 a. m.

Leave Portsmouth—8.35, 9.45, 9.50, 10.15, 11.00, 11.35 a. m., 1.15, 1.15, 1.45, 2.30, 3.00, 3.40, 4.10, 4.30, 4.45, 5.40, 6.10, 10.00 p. m. Sundays—10.07, 11.45, 12.05, 12.35, 12.45 p. m. Holidays—10.00, 11.00 a. m., 11.00 p. m.

*May 1 to October 15. [Wednesdays and Saturdays. Capt. Marbury Johnson, Captain of Yard. Approved: Capt. F. A. Wheeler, Commandant.

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Lamb is lower at Benfield.
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Two calves or two pair of scis-
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Horne's.
Swordfish, halibut, bluefish, salmon,
haddock, all fish in glass cases, at E.
S. Downes, 37 Market street.
New barber shop, union, 3, cheap,
no waiting. W. H. Stringer, 17 Leach
street.
Marshall's Potatoes Chips at Ben-
field.

Jimmy Bryson, boxing instructor
at Harvard college is now in this
city preparing to give a demonstra-
tion of the athletic exercises in-
vented by the famous Dr. Sargent. Bryson
has not been in this city since his
brother, then the amateur champion
boxed O'Donnell.

All kind of Pickling spices at Ben-
field.
Because of the prevalence of bi-
cycle riding on the sidewalks, City
Marshal Thomas Entwistle has again
issued an order in which riders are
forbidden to use the sidewalks for
their pastime, but are also informed
that the law provides a fine of
\$10 for the violation.

Thomas J. Lynch, a machinist em-
ployed at the navy yard, had his left
hand badly torn and bruised yester-
day morning by the falling of a
small hoisting machine on which he
was at work. A corner of the ma-
chine pierced the palm of Mr. Lynch's
left hand, and other portions of the
machine cut into the bone of the in-
dex and second fingers. Eleven
stitches were taken to close the
wound.

Saturday is Lamb Day at Benfield.
Get your Melons at Benfield.

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Special attraction for Thursday,
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Special Thursday, Friday and Satur-
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Now is the time to get to-
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Look up your stock and see what
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BOTTLERS GET INCREASE

Will Receive 50 Cents Per
Week Additional

As the result of a series of confer-
ences over the demands for better
working conditions presented by the
bottlers to the proprietors of bot-
tling establishments in this city the
workmen have been granted an aver-
age wage increase of fifty cents a
week. That increase which is now
becoming effective affects about fifty
bottlers. In the demands made upon
the proprietors the bottlers asked
for both a wage increase and a
shortening of the working day to
eight hours. They have worked the
nine-hour day for years.

Edward Welch of Boston, a mem-
ber of the national executive board
of the Bottle Union, came to this
city when the conferences of a com-
mittee of the bottlers and of the
proprietors seemed to be unavailing,
so far as the bottlers were con-
cerned. His conferences with the
managers of the bottling plants re-
sulted in an agreement to increase
the wages of the men on the basis
of fifty cents a week.

James Kelley, William Dawson
and James Babb represented the bot-
tlers.

NAVY YARD

Machinist Injured by Falling Chain
and Block

Thomas Lynch, a machinist in the
machinery division, was quite badly
injured on Thursday. While engaged
in operating a differential chain on
the Tennessee the block of the same
fell, crushing and cutting his right
hand.

Social Gathering in Armory

The Navy Relief Association of the
yard conducted a delightful social in
the armory building on Thursday
afternoon. Whist and dancing were
enjoyed.

Only Seven Today

Six laborers and one fireman com-
pleted the list of calls issued by the
labor board today.

The Sterling Off Early

The U. S. S. Sterling sailed at 5
o'clock this morning for Hampton
Roads.

Off for a Week

Henry F. Dirks, mechanical drafts-
man in public works, is enjoying a
week's furlough.

All Work to be Rushed

The department has ordered all
work on the Wisconsin pushed as fast
as possible in order that the repairs
may be completed by November when
the ship is expected to sail for Phila-
delphia.

Household Goods Arrived

The household effects of Major
Melville Shaw U. S. M. C., arrived at
the yard today from the West coast.

Started Contract Job

The Brunswick, Balke, Colender
Company of Boston have begun the
work on the bowling alleys in the
recreation rooms for enlisted men.

Getting the Parts Ready

Parts for the cage masts to be con-
structed for the cruisers Washington
and North Carolina are being put to-
gether in the hull division in order
that no delay will occur when the
vessels tie up at the yard for these
improvements.

BENFIELD'S MARKET

Light Legs genuine Spring Lamb,
1 lb. a pound.
Forces 1 lb. pound. Short cut Spring
Lamb chops, Kidney or Rib 2c pound.
Fancy Rib Roast Beef, 1 lb. pound.
Rolled Roast Beef 1 lb. pound. Fresh
killed Poultry 22c pound. Fresh cut
Native Spinach 20c peck. 2 dozen
green corn 25c. Also Broiling and
Roasting Chicken. Egg Plant, Green
Peppers, Sweet Potatoes and full line
of green vegetables Saturday.

FELL FROM AUTOMOBILE

Henry Sheridan, a well known bas-
ketball player fell from the running
board of an automobile late on Wed-
nesday night and sustained a frac-
ture of the collar bone. He was re-
moved the Portsmouth hospital and
Dr. J. C. Carthy called.

ON THEIR WAY NORTH

Superintendent William Merritt

Assistant Superintendent Henry Scan-
nell, General Roadmaster G. K.
Thornton and Supervisor of Bridges
and Buildings B. F. Pickering at the
Boston and Maine railroad left here
on a special passenger train this
morning bound north. They will in-
spect the Conway branch to Inter-
lake.

The Herald Hears

That there are several baseball
men who are asking if the barbers
have retired from the diamond after
one victory against the wine clerks.

That the B. and M. railroad nine
who were recently throwing out
challenges right and left must have
taken a freight train.

That some lively bidding for the
contract to feed navy men on the
ships at the yard is expected by lo-
cal meat and provision dealers next
month.

That the man that wins out will
be obliged to do some tall figuring.

That the Shoals people are still on
the hunt for a passenger boat.

That all piling on the Portsmouth
and Kittery bridge is driven by
steam.

That the railroad has discovered
after many years that hand work is
too slow on the highway path of the
structure.

That some of the dirt scraped up
on piles on Market street by the
street division should be taken away
before the following day.

That the wharf deal at North End
has lots of them guessing.

That Special Officer Plummer
Smith is doing regular night duty at
the North End.

That the number of spectators at
the new bank building is increasing
daily.

That the veteran firemen should
make a report on the last muster.

That a Portsmouth delegation have
arrived back from the farm.

That the public drinking fountain
on Congress street is a regular play
thing for boys.

That Dan Zamarchi the youngman
who found the jewelry valued at \$500
can easily bank all he got as a re-
ward for his finding.

That Patrolman James Doherty of
the police force who has been suffer-
ing from a severe case of blood
poison for the past month is slowly
recovering.

That the laymen has been started
on Richards avenue.

PORTSMOUTH THEATRE

Picture—Bess of the Forest...Lubin
Song—Miss Wood.

Picture—In the Shadow of Mt. Vesu-
vius...Gaumont

Picture—Jimmy, the Detective...
Gaumont

ACT—Billy Fay, comedian.

Picture—The Gray Wolves...Selig

Picture—Santa Cruz Beach and Cliff
Drivers...Selig

ACT—The Marshalls, singing and
dancing.

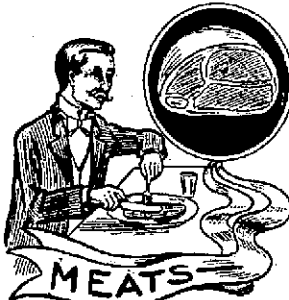
Picture—Cheyennes Bride...Pathe

Song—Miss Wood.

Picture—Friday, The 13th...Edison

Complete change Monday.

LOST—1 new and 2 old 12-foot
skiffs tied together, each one bearing
stencil "Frank E. Morrill, Amesbury,
Mass." Old boats numbered 131 and
132. Any information regarding same
will be gladly received at Lanier
Camp, Eliot, Me. A25hc2t



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Choice Country Fowl 22c pound.
Choice Country Roasting Chickens
30c pound.
Forces Fancy Spring Lamb 12c
pound.
Legs Fancy Spring Lamb 20c pound
Sweet Green Corn 13c dozen, 2 doz-
en for 25c.
Ripe Tomatoes 7c pound. 4 pounds
for 25c.
Sweet Apples 20c peck.
Pie Apples 30c peck.
New Potatoes 30c peck.
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White and Hodgdon, 16 Congress
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BOTTOM LIKES OUR

SUNSET LEAGUE IDEA

Boston Transcript Endorses
The Plan

Our neighboring navy yard city of
Portsmouth has a baseball innovation
this year that is attracting consid-
erable attention. It is called the Twi-
light League, composed of various
amateur clubs of the city and games
are held in the evening, beginning at
a quarter to six and lasting five in-
nings. At that hour the entire city
and many summer visitors come out,
and it has proved a very popular
scheme. Last night the Portsmouth
Athletic club defeated the Y. M. C. A., 3 to 2, in what was called a
heartbreaking game, which practically
gave the Portsmouth A. C. the pen-
nant of this league. This starting
so late in the afternoon is something
new to this section of the country
and certainly means very late dinners
of Portsmouth and surrounding sum-
mer resorts, but it is an excellent
idea all the same. In some of the
towns of the Northwest, where there
are no hills or trees to interfere with
the sun's rays, sports are held late in
the evening. The lawn tennis cham-
pionship of North Dakota for exam-
ple, is held after dinner every night,
starting about 6.30, in June, and con-
cluding about 8.30. Several sets are
played in this way, and usually the
whole string is run out. This scheme
cannot, of course, be carried out in
this section, but why isn't the Port-
smouth idea for sports in our cities a
good one? It does mean late dinners
but it gives the masses of the people
the opportunity to see games which
they cannot possibly have now.—Bos-
ton Transcript.

LOCATE ON PENHALL STREET

A pawn shop and a tailoring es-
tablishment are the latest additions
in the business section of Penhallow
street.

Keith Bickford, the three year old
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank J.
Bickford of Kingston, collected the
sum of thirteen dollars for Tag day.

Portsmouth has the lat-
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CORRECT MUSCULAR ACTION SHOE. It
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Examine our patented shoe.
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The Emerson Piano seems to grow better every
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surpassed themselves. The Pianos that are now
coming to us are simply magnificent. The touch,
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\$1.00 Rug 24in x 36in 69c	\$4.50 Rug 4ft x 7ft	\$3.19
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